



## Important Dates

**Friday 12th April**  
K-6 Easter Hat Parade  
Last day of Term

### Time to get your hats ready!

**Time:** From 12.00pm  
**Who:** All students K-6  
**Venue:** Oval and School Hall  
**Dress:** School uniform  
**Easter hat:** To be made at home  
NB\* No chocolate on Easter hats please.

*After assembly, family and friends are welcome to bring a picnic and stay and have lunch with their children. We hope you can join us!*

#### Raffle/Guessing Competition

Tickets will be on sale from Monday 8th April to Friday 12th April.  
Tickets - \$1 each or 3 for \$2  
Guesses - 50c each or 3 for \$1

*Any donations of Easter chocolates would be appreciated and can be sent to the office by Wednesday 10th April - Thank you.*



**Thursday 25th April**  
ANZAC Day March

*Children who would like to march, please assemble near Hungry Jacks at 10.30am in school uniform*



**Tuesday 30th April**  
Term 2 commences

#### MOTHERS DAY RAFFLE

If you would like to donate to our Mothers Day Raffle please leave donations at the Canteen or contact Zoe Tonkin on 0428 475 560.

# MORGIE NEWS

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**Principal:** Mr Scott Sanford

**Term 1 Week 11**

**Monday 8th April 2019**



## Learning for all at Morgan Street

Welcome to the final week of Term One. It certainly has been a term that has passed by very, very quickly. It is not over yet and we have some special events such as the Easter Hat Parade and Assembly to look forward to this week.

A very big thank you to our students, families and staff who joined us yesterday for the working bee. A team effort enabled us to tidy up the corner section of Iodide and Morgan Streets. Two trailer loads and two truck loads of weeds, leaves, branches, etc. found their way to a new home! The community spirit of giving without expecting anything in return was clearly evident and we were so appreciative of the time and efforts of our volunteers.

Just a reminder to our Year 6 families to return the Expression of Interest forms for Year 6 to Year 7 in 2020 as soon as possible. This will enable the next steps in the transition process to commence. Please contact the 3-6 Office if you require a new form.

As we do approach the upcoming holiday period it is my pleasure to wish all members of our Morgan Street Public School community a happy and safe Easter. We do hope that you are able to spend time with family and friends and create some special memories together.

Have a wonderful week of learning!

**Thought for the week:** *"Each school is a unique organism comprised of the collective struggles, history and hopes of the community it serves. Just as there are no curriculum that'll work for all students, there's no sweeping fix for education. The only fix is getting knee deep in the humanity of it all."* Amy Fast

Scott Sanford  
Principal

## VEGETABLE WEEK

**Thanks to everyone that brought their vegetables along to crunch on Thursday 4th April. Remember, crunch and sip is a great way to add more vegies into your day!**



# ★ K-6 Assembly ★

<b>KH</b>	Rylee Crabb,	Jaxsen Lingard
<b>KN</b>	Aiya Misagh	Jack Remmert
<b>1A</b>	Jax Dare	Elkie Ramsay
<b>1D</b>	Clay Darley	Thomas Richards
<b>2K</b>	Tippi Cannard	Blake Mengersen
<b>2S</b>	Harmony Flaton	Indiyannah Riley
<b>3M</b>	Rhys Sullivan	Harper Pettitt
<b>3/4S</b>	Livia Morris	Brock Spencer
<b>4W</b>	Addison Coombes	Shavanah Miller
<b>4/5E</b>	Dakota Gibson	Sienna Leayr
<b>5W</b>	Zak Lawrence	Charli Fowler
<b>6M</b>	Max Berg	Logan Ferguson
<b>6P</b>	Cruz Lihou	Eva Vigar

**Miss Keenan:** Natalia Kloczko, Dakota Gibson

## Classes of the Week

**KH 2K 4/5E 6M 6P**

**There will be no assembly  
this week.**

## Peer Awards

Nate Winders, Nate Norris, Emily Smith,  
Venya Manyam, Alexia Nejaim, Hudson  
Pascoe, Byron Noble, Emmy Daniels,  
Cheyenne Lugg, Thomas McInnes, Jordan  
Medlin, Lane Darley, Zahlia Delbridge

## ANZAC DAY ASSEMBLY

Our school Anzac service, will be held on  
Wednesday 1st May in the hall at 10.15am.

Students are asked to **bring flowers** and greenery  
for their class wreath.

This is a proud and respectful day and  
we ask that students wear their **official  
winter school uniform** for this  
occasion.



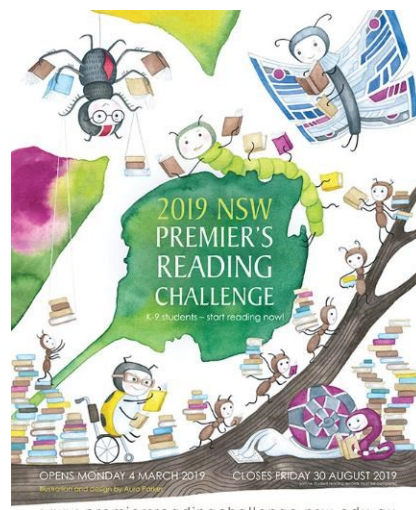
# MORGIE NEWS



**Author/illustrator Martin Chatterton** visited our school last Monday and entertained the whole school with his humour and character drawings of students and staff. He spoke about how he was inspired to write while growing up in the UK, and how he came up with the idea for his book, "The Brain Finds a Leg". Lots of students took advantage of the opportunity to purchase this book at the special price of \$5 and feedback from one student was that he "laughed out loud within the first five pages."

Martin Chatterton has written several books that are part of the NSW Premier's Reading Challenge, which has just launched on 4th March and all students are encouraged to be part of this challenge. More information about the challenge and how to join can be found at:

<https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html>



OPENS MONDAY 4 MARCH 2019 CLOSING FRIDAY 30 AUGUST 2019  
www.premiersreadingchallenge.nsw.edu.au



## University Competitions

The ICAS Assessments to recognise academic excellence have changed this year.

They will occur in September, closing dates are in August and September.

Information to nominate your child to participate and specific dates will be sent home at the end of Term 2.



Earth Day is an international event celebrated every year on April 22. It is a day to create awareness of the Earth and how we treat the environment.

**4W** created this combined artwork out of re-usable materials. We have also come up with some ways we can all help the environment every single day.



**Lane:** Re-use materials to make new things.

**Ellie & Addison:** Re-usable containers

**Brooke & Amber:** Re-usable cups

**Damon, Jake & George:** Metal jerry cans

**Natalia:** Use less paper

**Jacob & Peyton:** Say no to plastic straws

**Honey:** Re-usable lunch order bags

**Kyra & Lilly-Rose:** Re-usable shopping bags

**Toby & Talen:** Recycle soft plastics

**Tempest & Annabella:** Re-usable cutlery

**Shavanah & Nala:** Pick up rubbish

**Takiyah:** Paper cups and plates at parties

**Kye, Bryce & Lucas:** Say no to plastic toys

## P.R.O.U.D. EXPECTATIONS

**We are targeting:** "Respect - being kind and considerate".

Last week two mystery teachers were keeping their eye out for students who were being kind and considerate to others or the environment.



Congratulations to **Ivy Boatswain, Bekiah Pearce** and **Veda Spasojevic**.

What will **YOU** do to help save the Earth?

## NOTES SENT HOME RECENTLY

If you did not receive any notes relevant to your child, please see the office staff.

NOTE	WHO?	ACTION
Drumbeat & S.P.A.R.C Program	Years 3-6	If you <b>DO NOT</b> wish your child to participate, please return the form to classroom teacher by Tuesday 30th April 2019
Bust A Move	KH, 1A, 1D, 2K, 2S	Please return permission note and money to the classroom teacher before Monday 6th May 2019
Parental Health Promotion Information Sessions	Eldest Child	Please return form to classroom teacher by Friday April 12th 2019
Absence Letters (18/03/19 - 29/03/19)		Please return to classroom teacher with reason for absence

## STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Miss Verity Keenan

### What is your role at MSPS?

3-6 Intervention teacher - Working with students who may need a little bit of extra help in literacy and numeracy.  
K-6 RFF Teacher - Teach science to KH, 2S, 4W, 6P and library to 1A and 1D.

### How long have you worked at MSPS?

This is my 5<sup>th</sup> year!

### What's your favourite thing about working at MSPS?

All of the amazing students that I get to meet and work with.

### Tea or Coffee? – Why?

Coffee!

### What is something about you that not many people know?

Before becoming a teacher I actually studied international politics and human rights at university.

### If you could meet anyone, living or dead, who would you meet?

Nelson Mandela.



## Broken Hill AFL Auskick

Registration Day: Monday 8th April, 2019  
Where: Jubilee Oval, 4.30pm to 5.30pm  
Super clinic, inflatables and BBQ  
Contact: AFL Broken Hill [aflbh@bigpond.com](mailto:aflbh@bigpond.com)  
Phone: 0488 729 084

## Community News



### Novita supports kids, young people and adults in Broken Hill to achieve their goals

One of South Australia's largest and most trusted community-based disability service organisations – Novita – now has a permanent presence in Broken Hill.

Novita has been supporting the Broken Hill community for some time with a 'fly in, fly out' service, but now has a great new facility within the YMCA's Integrated Wellness Centre in Chloride Street to deliver life-changing support, services and equipment for kids, young people and adults living with disability.

The new Novita facility has been made possible through a \$475,000 Disability Sector Scale-Up grant – part of the New South Wales Government's \$100 million Smart, Skilled and Hired initiative.

Novita offers a wide range of therapy and assessment services, tailored for individuals and groups, as well as the latest in assistive technology and equipment.

Novita's team of health professionals in Broken Hill delivers services and supports for individuals and groups including Occupational Therapy, Speech Pathology and assistive technology, as well as regular orthotic visits and telehealth links to specialists in Adelaide. A physiotherapist will also be joining the team soon.

If you would like to talk to Novita's Broken Hill staff about how they can support your family, call 7641 3460. You can also visit Novita's website at [www.novita.org.au](http://www.novita.org.au)